## MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



Joanne Sturges, Acting Executive Officer Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held April 4, 2006, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

"On the morning of March 28, 2006, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputy Maria Cecilia Rosa exited her friend's home on Eucalyptus Avenue in the City of Long Beach and was on her way to work. While Deputy Rosa was loading her bags into the trunk of her vehicle, which was parked in the driveway, it is believed that she was approached by two subjects.

"The investigation thus far has led us to believe that these two subjects attempted to rob Deputy Rosa at gunpoint. Deputy Rosa produced a handgun from her handbag in order to defend herself. However, she was shot two times before having a chance to return fire. Deputy Rosa was pronounced dead a short while later.

"Investigators believe this would be an appropriate time to offer a reward in this case which may prompt otherwise reluctant witnesses to come forward and provide information to identify those responsible for this crime."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried (Supervisors Molina and Yaroslavsky being absent), the Board established a \$25,000 reward for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the murder of Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputy Maria Cecilia Rosa, who was shot twice while placing her bags into her vehicle, as she left her friend's home on Eucalyptus Ave., in the City of Long Beach at 6:12 a.m. on March 28, 2006.

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## NOTICE OF \$25,000 REWARD OFFERED BY THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is offering a \$25,000 reward for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the murder of Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputy Maria Cecilia Rosa, who was shot twice while placing her bags into her vehicle, as she left her friend's home on Eucalyptus Ave., in the City of Long Beach at 6:12 a.m. on March 28, 2006.

Any person having any information related to this crime is requested to call Detective Patrick O'Dowd at the Long Beach Police Department, Homicide Detail at (562) 570-5572 and refer to Report No. 06-00-24544.

The terms of the reward provide that:

- -- The information given that leads to the determination of the identity, the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons must be given no later than July 3, 2006. All reward claims must be in writing and shall be received no later than September 1, 2006.
- -- The total County payment of any and all rewards shall in no event exceed \$25,000 and no claim shall be paid prior to conviction unless the Board of Supervisors makes a finding of impossibility of conviction due to the death or incapacity of the person or persons responsible for the crime or crimes.
- The County reward may be apportioned between various persons and/or paid for the conviction of various persons as the circumstances fairly dictate.

Any claims for the reward funds should be filed no later than September 1, 2006 with the Executive Office of the Board of Supervisors, 500 West Temple Street, Room 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration, Los Angeles, California 90012, Attention: Deputy Maria Cecilia Rosa Reward Fund. For further information, please call (213) 974-1579.

Si no entiende esta noticia o si necesita más informacion, favor de llamar a este numero (213) 974-1579.

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